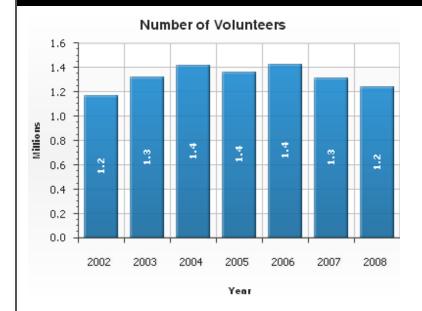
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Trends and Highlights

Based on single year data (2008)

- Even with the economic crisis, the national volunteer rate remained relatively constant, from 26.2% in 2007 to 26.4% in 2008. In 2008, 61.8 million volunteers donated approximately 8 billion hours of service in communities across the country.
- 24.1% of adults volunteered in Massachusetts in 2008, contributing 154.4 million hours of service.
- n addition to the 1.2 million adults in Massachusetts volunteering in 2008, an extra 124,881 individuals worked with their neighbors to fix a problem or improve a condition in their community but did not serve through an organization.

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